

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Lazarus et al.

Group Art Unit: 1644

Serial No.: 10/594,826

Examiner: Schwadron, Ronald B.

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For:

METHOD FOR TREATING AUTOIMMUNE DISEASES WITH ANTIBODIES

<u>AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT B</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated November 26, 2010 for which a shortened statutory period for reply has been extended up to and including March 26, 2011. Since March 26, 2011 is a Saturday, the deadline is automatically extended to Monday, March 28, 2011. A petition for a one (1)-month Extension of Time is attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$130.00, to cover the extension of time fee for other than small entity, along with any other fees associated with the filing of this Amendment, and to credit any over payment to, Deposit Account Number 50-0426. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.